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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the election requirement in the Office Action of August 13, 1998, Applicant hereby elects without traverse Group 1, claims 36-47, 62, 66-70.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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